# DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS DIVISION OF ST. THOMAS AND ST. JOHN

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 3:20-cr-0049
	)	
JORGE ROMERO-AMARO, GIOVANNI	)	
GRACIANI, HECTOR RIVERA CONCEPCION,	)	
RUBEN REYES, and PEDRO LUIS SAYAN	)	
VILLANUEVA,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
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<u>ORDER</u>

BEFORE THE COURT are Defendant Jorge Romero-Amaro's Motion to Suppress

Evidence, filed on February 10, 2021, and Defendant Hector Rivera Concepcion's Notice of

Join[d]er of Motions, filed on February 17, 2021. (ECF Nos. 90 and 106.) The Court held an

evidentiary hearing on the matter on February 11, 2022. As stated in the accompanying

Memorandum Opinion of even date, it is hereby

**ORDERED** that Defendant Romero-Amaro's *Motion to Suppress Evidence*, ECF No. 90,

and Defendant Rivera Concepcion's *Notice of Join[d]er of Motions*, ECF No. 106—to the extent

that it is seeking suppression of evidence—are **DENIED**.

**Dated:** August 8, 2022 /s/ Robert A. Mollov

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**Chief Judge**